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OF

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Please amend the subject Patent Application before examination, as follows:

In the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 5, with the following rewritten paragraph:

-- This application claims the priority of US Provisional Patent Application 60/179,017, filed 31-Jan-00 and entitled "System And Method For Conducting Credit Card Transactions Over An Insecure Network", US Provisional Patent Application 60/197,002, filed 13-Apr-00 and entitled "System And Method For Conducting Credit Card Transactions Over An Insecure Network", and US Provisional Patent Application 60/220,498, filed 25-Jul-00 and entitled "Applications Of Automatic Identification", all of which are incorporated in their entirety herein by reference.--